Fires Brigade Legal Section Update – June 06

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The Fires Bde Legal section is excited to announce that Sgt Matthew Edmonds has attended the E6 promotion board, and was unanimously recommended for promotion. His name will be added to the standing promotion list, and hopefully he will be promoted soon.

Sgt Edmonds has served in Headquarters, Headquarters Battery, Fires Bde. for the past 2 ½ yrs, and he has also served as the Paralegal for our 589th Brigade Support Battalion since it was formed in early 2005.

Additionally, Spc. Jonathan Wheaton will be arriving on Camp Liberty and rejoining the Brigade Legal office. Spc. Wheaton serves as the battalion Paralegal for our 2-20 Field Artillery Regiment, and has been attached to them since early February of this year.

Spc Wheaton has served as the 2-20 FA Bn Paralegal since early 2003, and this is his second deployment to Iraq with the 4th Infantry Division. Spc. Wheaton recently attended the E5 promotion board, and he is looking forward to being promoted soon.

As always, the Legal shop continues to put our Fires Brigade Soldiers first with immediate first line legal support as the need arises: Something we'll continue to do throughout the rest of this deployment, and long after we redeploy back to Fort Hood later this year.